Docket No. 219713US2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Shigeru KAWANAKA

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EXAMINER: Quinto, K.

FOR:

SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE AND ITS MANUFACTURING METHOD

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

MMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a three month extension of time be granted to April 8, 2004 for

| filing a response to the Official Action dated: October 8, 2003. |
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| responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated: |
| filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed. |
| responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated: |
| filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed. |
| filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on: |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half. |

The required fee of \$950.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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